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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

BPW Club Finishes Plan For Hospital Room In Pahokee

The Everglades Business and Professional Woman's Club, at the first meeting of the season held Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Fay Abbing, completed plans for furnishing a private room at the new Pahokee Hospital. The plaque which is to be placed above the entrance of the room has been received and accepted.

Miss Ruth Dorsey was elected second vice president of the club to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Mrs. Tommie Lee Dabose.

Mrs. Doris Carter was named chairman of a special committee which will be in charge of local arrangements for the celebration of annual National Woman's Week Oct. 9-15.

The group made plans for members to attend the District Eight meeting in Clewiston on Sept. 11. Members planning to attend were asked to contact Mrs. Abbing by Friday for reservations.

Mrs. Sarah Thomas, immediate past president of the club, was presented with a past president's pin.

Rardin Is Named To National Group

Joe T. Cook, president of the National Editorial Association with offices in Chicago, this week makes public his committee appointments for 1949-1950 and the list includes the name of Paul Rardin, publisher-owner of The Everglades News at Canal Point.

Publisher Rardin was named to the display advertising committee of the National Association and will serve with L. A. Rossman, publisher of the Herald-Review at Grand Rapids, Minnesota, who was named chairman of the committee.

Publisher Rardin and his country weekly at Canal Point have more than once in the past, won national recognition in the newspaper field.

Superb Job Done By Power Company

The Florida Power and Light Company spared no effort to get juice back on the lines following the hurricane of last week. Repair crews from Daytona Beach, Miami, Sanford, N. C., Jacksonville and Texas were on hand just as soon as the wind quit blowing to make the necessary repairs.

Nearly 160 out-of-town men were brought into the immediate Glades area to restore and make the lines hot after they had become a twisted and tangled mass in the hurricane.

Peter Paul deMoya, his office force and every power company employee, should have a great big pat on the back for the manner in which they restored service to this hurricane-tossed section of Florida. It was a superb job and their efficient restoration of service kept griping on the part of patrons to a minimum.

Old Hospital Building Is Converted Into Rooming House

George Abowd has taken a 10-year lease on the Wooten building, recently vacated by the Everglades Memorial Hospital, and plans to remodel the interior into a modern 25 unit rooming house, eight of which will have private baths and the remainder semi-private.

Mr. Abowd expects to have his rooming house ready for occupancy by the 15th of the month. It will operate under the management of his daughter, Mrs. Dolly Bennett.

To The People Of The Everglades

I want to sincerely thank all of our customers from Indian-town to Hookers Point for their patience and tolerance during the hurricane of August 26 and the following days. Your good will during the restoration of your electric service was a great inspiration to all of the some 225 men and women who worked to restore electric service in the Everglades during the trying days that followed the storm. The City Commissions, the Police Departments, and the State Highway Patrol gave us wonderful help. The people of the Everglades are a great and lovable group. We enjoy working for you. Thanks again from the bottom of my heart.

P. Paul deMoya, Manager
Florida Power & Light
Company, Everglades
District.

Funeral Services For W. H. Reddick

Funeral services for William H. Reddick, 62, who died at 5:15 a. m. Wednesday at his home, 430 Flagler Ave., Riviera Beach, after a long illness, were held at 11 a. m. Thursday at the Mizell-Simon-Paville Chapel with the Rev. H. Stewart Austin, Northwood Methodist Church pastor officiating.

The body was sent, accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Lottie Reddick, and her sister, Mrs. Annie M. Howell, to Atlanta for burial.

A former resident of Canal Point, where he was an FEC agent for 15 years, Mr. Reddick moved to Riviera Beach four years ago.

He retired from railroad duty in 1942, after 32 years in railroad, 25 of which were spent with the FEC.

He was a member of the Northwood Methodist Church, Everglades Lodge 211, F.&A.M. Pahokee; Morocco Temple Shrine, Jacksonville; Brevard Commandery, Cocoa; the BPOE, 1638, Pahokee, and Woodmen of the World, Williston.

Walter Fountain of Cordele, Ga., arrived Sunday to take over the work of his brother Myers Fountain as Glades circulation representative for the Palm Beach Post-Times while the latter is convalescing from injuries received in a recent car accident.

Sugar Cane Damage Set At 15 Percent

(From Clewiston News)
Charles E. Wetherald, president of United States Sugar Corporation, Tuesday fixed the overall loss to sugarcane from last week-end's hurricane at fifteen per cent.

This figure, Mr. Wetherald stated, might be reduced by the fact that the storm came early and the cane has not attained its full growth. This may enable it to recover somewhat from the buffeting it received from the winds Friday night.

In the Western Division, where the hard winds blew only in one direction, the cane was flattened and some breakage occurred but it is believed that the damage was comparatively light. Worst damage was in the Eastern Division, near the center of the storm, where hard reverse winds caused severe breakage.

This year there will be no damage from high water which, caused so much trouble last year. Rains were comparatively light for such a heavy storm and no severe flooding has been apparent anywhere.

H. T. Vaughn, vice-president and general manager of the corporation, said that an estimate of damage to the sugar house in Clewiston had been made by C. A. Martinez and fixed at about \$3500 from loss of sheet metal windows, etc. The roof was also badly damaged on the electrical repair building and the Plantation Machine Shops suffered only minor damage.

In various plantation villages, however, the loss was much more severe, particularly at Bryan: where some small buildings were knocked down and roofs were badly damaged. An estimate of this damage is being made this week.

135 Pupils Enter Canal Point School

Pupils registering at the Canal Point Elementary School Tuesday totaled 135 which were divided into grades as follows: First grade, 23; second, 22; third, 23; fourth, 20; fifth, 22; sixth, 25. This total represents a slight increase over the enrollment on the first day of school last year, according to Mrs. Wilma Lence, principal.

Mrs. Lence reports one change in the teaching staff at the Canal Point School. Mrs. Billie Huddis of Indianfountain is the new teacher of the fourth grade, replacing Mrs. Clara Maurer who was transferred to the Pahokee School.

Scout Executive Is Rotary, Lions Speaker

A. P. Patterson of West Palm Beach, scout executive of the Gulf Stream Council of Boy Scouts, was guest speaker at the Tuesday luncheon of the Pahokee Lions Club and last Thursday at the Pahokee Rotary Club.

In his talk Mr. Patterson told of the work being done in the Gulf Stream Council and gave some suggestions for encouraging interest in scouting in the North Glades District.

Better Pahokee Drainage If Bond Issue Carries

Manning Keen Is New Scout Leader

Manning I. Keen was elected chairman of the North Glades District of the Gulf Stream Council of Boy Scouts at the annual election of district officers held last week in the woman's clubhouse.

Other new officers chosen for the coming year were Alton Jones, vice chairman; Mike Hoperich, commissioners T. S. Kirk and W. W. McCurdy, members of the executive board. Eight appointive district officers will be named by the new district chairman at a later date.

T. S. Kirk, retiring chairman, introduced A. P. Patterson, scout executive of the Gulf Stream Council, who attended the meeting.

New Machinists Canal Point Shop

New personnel has been added to the Farm Machinery Corporation machine shop in Canal Point according to Fred Hickerson who has been operating the plant for several years.

Jim Barbas and Dick Fisher are the two new machinists and they come to Canal Point from Belle Glade where they have been connected with one of the outstanding machine shops of the Everglades—D. C. DeHaven. Mr. Barbas will act as foreman of the shop and Mr. Fisher will be the head machinist.

Expert craftsmanship will be a feature of the shop under the new set-up, Mr. Barbas said. A big stock of materials is on hand for the coming season and the organization is ready to build special pieces of equipment necessarily adapted to farming in the Everglades.

More Than 600 Are In Pahokee School

A total of 598 pupils registered at Pahokee Schools on Tuesday and several more, returning late from summer vacations, registered Wednesday, making the enrollment well over the 600 mark, according to Principal C. A. Canipe.

The enrollment by grades on Tuesday was as follows: First grade, 50; second, 54; third, 53; fourth, 52; fifth, 50; sixth, 42; seventh, 62; eighth, 65; ninth, 49; tenth, 47; eleventh, 42; twelfth, 32.

Pahokee Schools opened for classroom work Wednesday with a complete faculty, however, two members of the faculty, Coach Clyde Alley, athletic director and social studies teacher at the high school, and Mrs. Charlotte Walston, fifth grade teacher, were unable to report for duty because of illness. Mrs. H. L. Speer is substituting for Mrs. Walston and Mrs. F. M. Wilson is teaching Coach Alley's social studies classes during his absence.

Citizens of Pahokee will be much happier over their drainage if present plans of East Beach Drainage District materialize, according to supervisors who operate the district. The proposal calls for issuance of \$248,000 in bonds to dig new canals, clean old ones and erect a modern and efficient pumping station just off Bacom Point road and south of H. J. Anderson's home.

Freeholders will participate in the election which is scheduled for Tuesday, October 11, 1949 and will be held in Pahokee city hall. A special act of the 1949 legislature made all necessary provisions for the bond issue, and work to be done by the district providing the issue carries.

Added benefits will be received by property holders in Pahokee, an official of the district point out. All lots near the toe ditch near the dike will be properly and efficiently drained with the water ultimately finding its way to the big pump on Bacom Point.

The East Beach district is the old west unit of the Pahokee Drainage District and starts at Stuckey's Crossing and runs south to the canal just south of H. J. Anderson's house on Bacom Point. Out on the muck the line runs as far out as Section Five with the entire City of Pahokee lying within the limits of the district.

It was pointed out that the bond issue will pay for erection of a large pump house with two massive 64,000 gallons a minute pumps powered by diesel motors. The now existing small pump near the city dump will be eliminated in the new set-up.

The following schedule will give an idea of taxes on lots under this new set-up.

Less than .10 acre, \$2.30 per year.

Larger than .10 acre, but not more than .20 acre, \$2.75 per year.

Larger than .20 acre, but not more than .30 acre, \$3.20 per year.

Larger than .30 acre, but not more than .40 acre, \$3.60 per year.

Larger than .40 acre, but not more than .50 acre, \$4.00 per year.

Larger than .50 acre, but not more than .60 acre, \$4.40 per year.

Larger than .60 acre, but not more than .70 acre, \$4.80 per year.

Larger than .70 acre, but not more than .80 acre, \$5.20 per year.

Larger than .80 acre, but not more than .90 acre, \$5.60 per year.

Larger than .90 acre, but not more than 1.00 acre, \$6.00 per year.

Proposed farm acreage bond tax: \$3.00 per acre per year.

Union Meeting Will Be Held Tonight

A regular meeting of Local Union No. 628 will be held at the Union hall in Pahokee at 7:30 o'clock tonight, Sept. 9, according to an announcement by the secretary, Percy Testers.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Vann and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Shirley spent the weekend at Palm Beach Shores.

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SECRETARY OF THE FLORIDA PRESS ASSOCIATION

Heavy influx of vacationers to Florida during June, July and August indicates that this state is fast coming into its own as a top-ranking summer resort. Advertising is spreading the word of what this state has to offer the summer visitor and thousands who came this summer are returning north to tell of the wonderful air conditioned days, the cool nights and break down the prevalent idea that Florida is unbearably hot at this season of the year.

The airlines have played an important part in developing summer travel to Florida. Eastern Air Lines, with more flights into Florida than all other domestic airlines combined, has spearheaded a national advertising campaign to introduce summertime Florida to an entirely new public.

According to Eddie Rickenbacker, EAL president and general manager, Eastern is spending over one million dollars this summer to tell northerners what a delightful place Florida is at this season. Eastern also launched a summer excursion plan that provides the lowest scheduled airline fares in history, permitting passengers to save from 60 percent to 67 percent on the return portion of their ticket.

Operating new 70 passenger, DC-4 Buccaneers, National Airlines is going after not only summer business but year 'round patronage and informed the nation's scheduled air carriers and the Civil Aeronautics Board of the company's intention to file a new coach fare tariff of four cents per mile compared to the present rate of a little over .6c per mile. If allowed, the new coach fare would become effective October 1.

The coach fare would be even

lower than National's present history making summer excursion fares and very little more than present rail coach fares between Florida and northern points served by the line.

Another novel fare plan offered by National is the "family plan" for international air travel. Just as in domestic travel, the family plan over international routes would apply for travel between midnight Sunday and midnight Wednesday, the reduction being offered on one-way as well as round trip travel.

The family head (father or mother) would pay the regular fare. The other parent and all the children not over 21 yrs. old would pay only half fare. It is not necessary that both parents make the trip. Any member of the group except the full fare passenger may buy their half fare tickets to any destination on the route not beyond the destination of the full fare passenger with stop-overs permitted. This particularly appeals to Cubans who are finding Florida a popular summer vacation spot and whole families can make the trip at rates so reasonable they can easily afford it. This family fare plan also applies to domestic travel, according to G. T. Baker, president of National.

All-time passenger records were eclipsed by National on July 1, when a total of 806,054 revenue passenger miles were recorded. The day's passenger load factor was 66.26 percent. The line has stepped up its service to the highest level in history. National has proven what low summer excursion fares can do in bringing summer travel to Florida and they look for more and more each succeeding

ing year.

"We could have done as well last summer," president Baker said, "if we'd been permitted to put in summer excursion fares between Florida resorts and the big population centers of the north."

"Building up the summer vacation season down here hinged largely upon two points. We had to sell northerners on the attractions of Florida resorts, beaches, and attractions in the summertime, and get the whole package — hotel, transportation and entertainment — down to a level of competition with northern resorts. And it had to be air travel, because people with two weeks' vacation don't want to spend their two weeks getting to and from their holiday destination. Traveling by air they can get three week-ends right at the playground of their choice. National has advertised Florida and their summer excursion rates on a broad scale and their effort has benefitted the state tremendously."

Air travel is going to mean more and more to the state and airline officials are now convinced that as much business can be developed in summer as in winter with proper advertising, publicity and attractive summer excursion rates.

Pahokee PTA Will Meet Monday Eve

The Pahokee Parent-Teacher Association will conduct its first meeting of the school year in the high school auditorium Monday, Sept. 12, at 8 p. m., according to plans made at a PTA executive board meeting at the school Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Horace Unwin, the new president, presiding.

Following a brief business session and program in the auditorium a reception for the teachers will be held in the school patio with members of the executive board acting as hosts. At the reception Mrs. Unwin will give the address of welcome and Principal C. A. Canipe will respond for the teachers.

Mrs. Unwin has named PTA chairmen of standing committees for the current school year as follows: Mrs. J. C. Shoepel, program; Mrs. V. L. Geiger, hospitality; Mrs. J. M. Elliott, finance; Duncan Padgett, public welfare; Mrs. George Ramey, publicity; Mrs. Marjorie Henderson, membership; Mrs. F. M. Wilson, auditor; Ned Koehner, historian; Mrs. H. L. Speer, parliamentarian; Mrs. Clyde Alley, safety; Mrs. Ralph Stanley, cafeteria; Mrs. Rupert Mock, room mother; Mrs. Joseph Kahn, music; Mrs. H. L. Carter, flowers, and Mrs. Earle Pitts, PTA Congress publications.

Baked Foods Sale Is Scheduled Saturday

A baked foods sale will be held at the Canal Point Methodist Sunday school building Saturday, Sept. 10, under the sponsorship of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, it was announced at a WSCS meeting held Tuesday afternoon at the parsonage with Mrs. C. L. Stuart acting as hostess.

The group voted to act as hostess at the subdistrict WSCS Education Seminar to be held at the Canal Point Methodist Church on Nov. 9. It was announced that starting Sunday the operation of a nursery will be resumed during morning services with Mrs. J. P. Parker, nursery chairman, in charge. Mrs. Earl J. Jones was named a member of the flower committee, replacing Mrs. D. L. Hall, who resigned.

"Our Faith" was the theme of the program presented by Mrs. Boyd Vorhees, program chairman, assisted by Mrs. H. Sears and Mrs. Harold Rosenberg. A Talk on "What My Faith Means to Me" was given by Rev. Earl J. Jones. Mrs. F. M. Wilson was in charge of the devotionals.

The price of sugar is expected to take a sharp climb in the next few weeks, according to Business Week.

Fellowship Group To Present Program

The Senior Methodist Youth Fellowship group will be in charge of the evening service at the Pahokee First Methodist Church Sunday starting at 7:30 p. m. Reports on the Methodist Young People's Camp held through the summer near Leesburg, Fla., will be given by Anna Lee Hurt, Bobby Schroder, George Rozelle and Frank Rozelle, Jr.

Following the service members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will entertain with a fellowship hour honoring students who are leaving for college this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Audie Hooks, Jr., had as guest the past week his mother, Mrs. Audie F. Hooks, Sr., of Miami.

Stanley Hooks Named Senior Class Head

Stanley Hooks was elected president of the Pahokee High School Senior Class at a class meeting Wednesday.

Other officers chosen for the Class of 1950 were David Ramey, vice president; Clara Baxter, secretary, and Payne Jackson, treasurer. Miss Ruth Evans and Miss Ruth Dorsey were named from the faculty as Seniors class sponsors.

Special Group Will Aid In Estimating

The Red Cross will set up a committee in Belle Glade and one in Pahokee to assist Red Cross workers in estimating damage to ruined buildings. In this method the workers will be given first hand information by local residents in each community.

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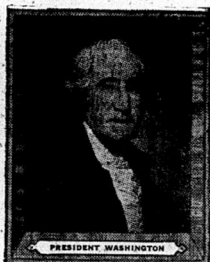
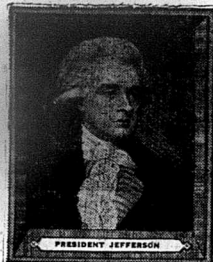
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Paul Rardin, Publisher

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The Sawgrass Special

In an effort to find out why hurricanes get lost in a whole lot of conversation about cigarettes, soap and beer—once they get by Miami—we got exactly nowhere. However this uninteresting information was passed on: The weather bureau was established in 1870 and until 1891 was under the Signal Corps. From 1891 until 1940 it was operated by the Federal Government. Since that time it has been in the Department of Commerce. The weather bureau office in Miami is mostly concerned with weather forecasting. Contributing to the information are the Air Force and the Navy.

Daily advisories are issued at eleven in the morning. They have four automatic weather reporting stations, Dog Rock and Orange Key in the Bahamas, Flamingo Key, and Naples in Florida. These stations report automatically every hour.

The lowest barometer ever recorded was in Asia, 26.18, second lowest Florida Keys in 1935, 26.35. The highest winds ever recorded by the weather bureau were on Mt. Washington in New Hampshire 213 miles per hour (almost like a city council meeting).

All of this adds up to nothing. When another storm turns up the radio will have you chomping at the bits until it passes Miami. Then the reports and reporters will sound like a deflating inner tube and you will know where the eye is when it hits the vicinity of your hip pocket.

Hey, Chief, I heard a couple of your buddies talking the other morning in Fisher's Cafe. Insinuating that traffic on Canal Point road is getting so fast that Mr. Wood is going to get hurt if he don't watch out.

Was reading TIFFS' Town & County a couple of weeks ago and noticed a little item on the front page. It said this: "Dame Rumor, as the gabby old girl has the habit, has been wagging her tongue again. This time she has gone political. She has it in the wind that Paul Rardin, county commissioner from the Glades district, will be a candidate for congress when the time rolls around next spring for the primaries." Is you talking, Paul . . . or is you ain't? . . . why don't you take your shoe off and stick your toe in the water . . . it will be warmer than you think. Sawgrass Phil.

Rally Is Attended By Pahokee Group

Those from Pahokee who attended the Methodist Youth Rally in Belle Glade Tuesday night included: Anna Lee Hurt, David Ramey, Wilbur McCurdy, Joyce Fields, Sasser Watson, John Rogers, Jimmie Rozelle, Stella Lou Todd, Rev. Ralph W. Todd and Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Keen.

Mrs. John Smiley and son, John, Jr., and Mrs. Smiley's mother, Mrs. Strickland, all of Fort Lauderdale, were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Hoke H. Shirley Sunday. On their return to Fort Lauderdale they were accompanied by Hoke Shirley, Jr., who is visiting there this week.

Canal Point PTA To Meet Monday Night

A special meeting of the Canal Point PTA will be held Monday night, Sept. 12, according to an announcement by Mrs. Boyd Vorhees. There is some special business to come before the meeting and it is urgent that all members be present.

Sales Tax Probable Answer State Need

TALLAHASSEE — The Florida Legislature picked up in special session Wednesday where it left off three months ago—on consideration of a sales tax to balance the State Budget.

Bills embodying the limited sales tax revenue plan proposed by a special Senate-House Committee are being prepared for quick introduction.

The Legislators convened at noon in response to the call of Governor Warren for the sole purpose of considering laws and constitutional amendments to "raise or provide sufficient revenue to defray the expenses of government."

They adjourned the regular session last June 3, leaving behind authorizations for agencies and institutions to spend \$243,000,000 in the next two years.

But they failed to agree on new taxes to make up the \$57,000,000 difference between appropriations and the \$186,000,000 which finance officers agree will be available in that period.

As the legislators gathered in the Capitol, all the talk was speculation over whether a limited sales tax can be passed—and if so, how long it will take.

The special session is limited to 20 days by the constitution. The House and Senate can agree to quit any time before that; and Governor Warren could call them back for another 20 days if he felt they had not finished their job in the first period.

The limited sales tax bill being prepared by the joint Senate-House Committee is almost the same as the one which died in the House Finance Committee by a 17-17 tie vote on the last day of the regular session, no other major tax bill received the committee's favor.

There is talk of taking a short cut procedure this time by letting all members sit as a "committee of the whole House."

That way, State financial officers and all interested citizens could appear before the entire membership to speak for or against the bill under consideration and answer questions from every member.

A well-knit, "economy bloc" pledged to fight all new taxes, has been fairly quiet in recent days, but there is an indication it has given up. Members of it probably will be ready to plunge into the debate at the drop of a hat.

That group claims the State agencies and institutions don't need all the money the Legislature authorized them to spend. Some members maintain the Cabinet Budget Commission should appropriate the available funds as far as they go. Others want to go back review and reduce the appropriations.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abowd entertained at the Woman's Club building Saturday night with a dance party honoring their daughter, Betty, on her birthday anniversary.

Auxiliary Plans Membership Drive

"With the American Legion for America."

That simple statement tells the whole story of the American Legion Auxiliary, Mrs. Leonard Maxson, membership chairman of the Canal Point Unit of the Auxiliary, said today as the Auxiliary plans to open its campaign for enrollment of 1950 members.

"The American Legion Auxiliary has only one purpose," she said, "and that is to help the American Legion in the Legion's great work for America. We are making this membership campaign so that we will have greater strength to help more effectively."

The women of the Auxiliary work side by side with the men of the Legion, carrying out part of Legion activities which can best be done by women," explained Mrs. Maxson. The Auxiliary gives especially effective help in serving disabled veterans, in aiding needy children of veterans and in teaching the principles of Americanism. We work with the Legion in community projects, help them in their Post programs and share in their social activities.

Membership in the Auxiliary thus gives us a broad field of common interest with the men of our families who belong to the American Legion. As Auxiliary members, we understand their problems and projects, and are in a position to help them achieve their purposes. We are inviting all wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of Legionnaires to come into the Auxiliary at this time and join with us as we go forward "With the American Legion for America."

Minimum Wage Scale Of 75c Hour Passes The Senate

WASHINGTON—A bill raising the minimum wage in the wage-hour act from 40 to 75 cents an hour was passed by the Senate Wednesday.

It now will go to a Senate-House conference committee which will compromise differences between it and a bill already passed by the House.

The Senate decision, taken on a voice vote, was a partial victory for President Truman, but to get the measure through speedily, his lieutenants had to abandon attempts to extend the wage-hour act to millions of workers now exempt.

Sen. Pepper, floor manager of the bill, said that about 1,500,000 of the 22,000,000 workers covered by the law now are being paid less than 75 cents an hour. He estimated that the measure would boost the wage costs of employers by \$385,000,000 annually.

The law applies to workers in interstate commerce businesses.

The House bill provides a 75-cent minimum but exempts an estimated 1,000,000 workers now covered. In the Senate an amendment was adopted over Administration protests removing some workers in retail and service establishments. Pepper put the number at 200,000.

Besides raising the minimum wage, the Senate bill also would tighten child labor provisions and give the Wage-Hour Administrator authority to bring suits in behalf of employees for wages due them under the act.

Before the vote, the Senate rejected a series of attempts to write in a wage floor lower than 75 cents, or apply the increase gradually by steps.

YOUTH GROUP MEETS

The Junior Methodist Youth Fellowship group of the Pahokee First Methodist Church will hold its first meeting of the fall season at the church Sunday, Sept. 11, at 6:30 p. m., according to an announcement by Mrs. George Ramey, counselor for the group.

RECORD NUMBER KILLED

A record of 550 persons were killed in accidents during the Labor Day weekend.

Disaster Office Is Opened In Pahokee

Frank Rozelle, Disaster Chairman for the Canal Point-Pahokee area of the American Red Cross stated in an interview today that the disaster office of the Red Cross had been set up in the city Hall at Pahokee where applications for assistance with disaster-caused needs may be made until noon Saturday, September 17th, 1949.

He stated that assistance is given on the basis of need and not on loss. A person who has had heavy loss in the storm, but who is financially able to provide for himself, should not make application. The funds are not to replace insurance but to meet actual needs which the family has no way of meeting through cash, credit, insurance and earnings.

The need must be disaster—

caused. No loans are made. The assistance is an outright gift and cannot be repaid. The beneficiary is permitted to select the merchant, therefore, keeping trade in its normal channels.

Mr. Rozelle stated that to date 137 applications had been made. Of this number 50 percent are white, 40 percent are owners. Each family will be considered on an individual case work basis. Miss Betty Lewis, a trained Disaster Case worker, has been loaned to the chapter to do this work.

Edward "Little Boy" Fountain, who suffered a severe compound fracture of the leg in an accident at the city park on July 9, was able to have the cast removed from his leg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Friend and Mr. and Mrs. Thadd Whidden spent the weekend at Marco, Fla.

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We wish to express publicly our deep thanks and appreciation for the lovely flowers, cards and many kindnesses shown by our friends and neighbors during the illness and loss of our husband and father. Especially do we wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simonsen for caring for John Lloyd and Wayne Scott Hundley, during our stay in Kansas.

Mrs. J. A. Friend,
D. L. Friend and Family,
Mrs. Lloyd Hundley and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude L. Shirley and son, Bill, have returned from a month's vacation spent with relatives and friends in Ohio, Georgia and Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Park Keen and family have returned from a visit in Lake Wales.

RESOLUTION CALLING ELECTION WHEREAS, there is a need for more adequate drainage and water control in the East Beach Water Control District;

AND WHEREAS, Chapter 25347, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, and Chapter 103, Statutes of Florida, 1941, authorized the holding of elections to determine whether or not there should be issued negotiable bonds not to exceed \$248,000.00 for the purpose of providing funds for the construction or acquisition of works and facilities for controlling water in this District;

BE IT RESOLVED By the Board of Supervisors of the East Beach Water Control District:

Section 1. Pursuant to Chapter 25347, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, and Chapter 103, Statutes of Florida, 1941, an election is hereby called for the purpose of authorizing the issuance of negotiable bonds of this District in an amount not to exceed \$248,000.00 for the purpose of providing funds for the construction or acquisition of works and facilities for controlling water in this District.

Section 2. Said election shall be held on the 11th day of October, 1949.

Section 3. All persons who are freeholders and who are registered and qualified to vote in this District are hereby notified that said election will be held at said time.

Section 4. The polling place for voting in said election shall be at The City Hall in Pahokee, Florida.

This Resolution passed and adopted this 30th day of August, 1949.

Wm. Bloom, Chairman
H. J. Anderson
Roy Vandegrift,
Board Members.

ATTEST:
Harold Rosenberg, Secretary.
Pub.: Sept. 2, 9, 16, and 23, 1949.

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WANTED: A few more big-hearted folks to pay their subscriptions to The Everglades News. Response has been good to this column's plea, but we can still stand a few more shekels. Look at the label on your paper—it is the expiration date of your subscription. Anybody can figure it.

RING FOUND: The editor found a class ring front of the Canal Point drug store the first of the week. Owner may have same by describing and paying for this bit of advertising.

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New Magazine Makes Debut This Month

Featuring such "strictly Southern" authors as Virginius Dabney, Hodding Carter, John Temple Graves, Jonathan Daniels, Harry Ashmore, William W. Ball, Octavus Roy Cohen and Jesse Stuart, a brand new Southwide magazine, Southern Fireside, made its first appearance in Palm Beach County today.

Bearing a September dateline and scheduled to appear each month from its Birmingham, Alabama, publication office, Southern Fireside claims to tell "the story of the South today, yesterday and tomorrow" to a Southern audience. Circulation of the first issue, in the 13 Southern states, is in excess of 500,000 copies.

Designed for the entire family, the new magazine draws solely upon Southern writers and illustrators for its content, with each of the Southern States represented in this first issue.

A new story by South Carolina's Octavus Roy Cohen, featuring the prominent Birmingham Darktown character "Florin Slappey," and a Jesse Stuart tale of the Kentucky Hills lead the fiction content of "Southern Fireside."

Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Millar

There was a horse poisoned just before an important race; a man was killed; the killer gives himself up; it is learned the trial is fixed; and the man is to hang; through the aid of his lover he escapes into the hills, forms a band of bandits and starts pillaging. All of his gang are killed and he is seriously wounded, but his loved one still stands by him and effects a daring escape that brings to a climax one of the most interesting and thrilling picture stories ever filmed. There you have a thumb nail sketch of the story of "Calamity Jane and Sam Bass," which stars Yvonne DeCarlo, Howard Duff and Willard Parker and has a cast of thousands, including some of Hollywood's best featured players. And, best of all, it is done in gorgeous technicolor.

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See you at the movies—Mal.

Will Raise Funds For Children's Hospital

A campaign to raise \$180,000 to complete and equip South Florida Children's Hospital will be launched this Monday, September 12.

Jack Bell, the Miami Herald's Town Crier columnist, is general chairman of the campaign, which he said will be a "brief, intensive one, conducted on virtually a cash basis," closing on September 30.

The hospital will be open to all sick or crippled children of this area, regardless of race, religion, or ability to pay.

Assisting Bell on the campaign committee will be Mayors Robert Floyd, Harold Turk, and Keith Phillips of Miami, Miami Beach, and Coral Gables and 16 other business, medical, and religious leaders.

"Although we realize that many residents of South Florida have contributed to the hospital before," Bell said, "all of us must contribute once again if our children are to have the hospital that is so vitally needed."

Bell pointed out that Variety Club will eventually take over operation of the hospital, but not until the building has been completed and equipped.

He urged all South Floridians to send "as much as you can" to Post Office Drawer 5022, Miami. Checks should be made out to South Florida Children's Hospital.

Leland Shirley will leave Sunday to enroll at the University of Florida, Gainesville, for the fall semester.

Cliff Green Heads State Prison Farm

TALLAHASSEE — Cliff M. Green today was appointed manager of the State Prison Farm at Belle Glade succeeding the late "Buzzy" Granger.

Green has been connected with the State prison system for 13 years and has been assistant to Granger for the last several years. The position pays \$4,380 a year. Commissioner of Agriculture Nathan Mayo said Green was recognized as one of the outstanding farmers in the Everglades section.

Gov Warren commented he was reluctant to vote for the employment of anyone he did not personally know, but was willing to accept the recommendations of other members of the cabinet.

Ferry Lee, coordinator of State institutions, reported the recent hurricane caused \$19,500 damages at the Prison farm, mostly to temporary buildings and equipment.

Miss Nell Dunaway will leave Saturday to spend a month visiting her sister, Miss Sara Dunaway, in Valdosta, Ga.

Advance Money To Vehicle Department

TALLAHASSEE — The Cabinet has advanced \$75,000 to the State Motor Vehicle Commission from its future allocations. The action gives the Commission enough money to keep all its present employees through September and maintain current functions.

Motor Vehicle Commissioner Arch Livingston said that without the advance he would have to let all but 105 workers go. In addition he would have had to have closed down the Commission's title and lien service and simply "keep records and answer the telephone," he said.

State Budget Director Homer Graham has reported the legislative appropriation for the Commission would allow spending of only \$68,000 a month, even before the 25 per cent cut in appropriations ordered by the Cabinet.

By October, Secretary of State R. A. Gray said, "We'll see what the legislature will do." During the discussion, Comptroller C. M. Gay told Livingston "the information you have put out that you will have to close up has had a bad effect. Some of them (members of

the legislature) don't take much stock in it. You've got to do a lot of proving to convince them."

Full School Term Promised By Bailey

TALLAHASSEE — Florida's financial condition won't interfere with a full school term this year, State School Supt. Thomas D. Bailey told the cabinet Tuesday.

He previously said a seven-month school term—instead of the regular nine months—was in store unless the legislature provides more money for schools.

However, he said Tuesday, the effect would not be felt until next year because counties would be obligated to employ teachers full time as long as money was available to them.

Since the legislature makes two-year appropriations, the pinch would come in 1950-51, when Bailey said, the counties would have to go in debt.

Frank Rozelle, Jr., is attending the Youth Evangelism Assembly at the Leesburg Camp this week, being one of the seven delegates selected from the Methodist Miami District.



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Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Worship Service, 11:00 a. m.
Baptist Training Union, 6:45 p. m.

MONDAY

Ione Patterson Circle of W. M. U. meets every third Monday of each month, 2:30 p. m.
General W. M. S. meeting every fourth Monday of each month, 8:00 p. m.
Deacons meeting on Monday night before first Wednesday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

TUESDAY

R. A. S., 7:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Sunbeams, 2:30 p. m.
G. A. S., 3:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

THURSDAY

Annie Jones Circle of W. M. U. Meets every third Thursday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

Christian Science Society

CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

"MAN" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, September 4.

The Golden Text is: "There is a spirit in man; and the inspiration of the Almighty giveth them understanding" (Job 32:8).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And the Lord spake unto Moses, saying, Speak unto all the congregation of the children of Israel, and say unto them, Ye shall be holy: for I the Lord your God am holy" (Lev. 19:2).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The Science of being reveals man as perfect, even as the Father is perfect, because the Soul, or Mind, of the spiritual man is God, the divine Principle of all being, and because this real man is governed by Soul instead of sense, by the law of Spirit, not by the so-called laws of matter" (302:19).

Will Honor Babies At Pahokee Baptist

Annual "Baby Day" will be observed at the Pahokee First Baptist Church during the morning service Sunday, Sept. 11, starting at 11 a. m.

The entire service will be devoted to special recognition of all infants of the church up to four years of age. The program will open with the reading of the infants' roll call and will include a special prayer of consecration and music by a choir composed of children of the primary department of the Sunday school.

At the evening service special recognition will be given to stu-

dents preparing to leave for colleges and universities this month, each of whom will be asked to sign the church's "college chart."

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Rev. Earl J. Jones

Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Sunday School 10 a. m.
M. Y. F. 6:45 p. m.
Evening Service 7:45 p. m.
Prayer Service Wed. 7:30 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal Wed. 8:30 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended to all who wish to worship with us. If you have no church come and enjoy the warm and friendly fellowship that will be yours immediately you enter the sanctuary.

Dr. Henry W. Blackburn will be our guest speaker at the morning service and will also conduct the first quarterly conference. Beginning on Sunday September 18th the Woman's Society of Christian Service will sponsor a nursery in the Sunday School building. Believing that a number of parents would attend services if they could have a place for their children, this added service is to be added. A competent attendant will be in charge each Sunday Morning. All children from infants to five years of age are to be cared for. Want you use this service, and worship God with us. See you in Church Sunday.

Week Of Prayer To Be Observed, Pahokee

Members of the Pahokee First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service at a meeting at the church Tuesday afternoon made plans for observance of week of prayer the first week in October, with Mrs. M. P. Holman, spiritual life chairman, in charge of program arrangements.

Mrs. John A. Dulaney, WSCS president, who presided at the meeting, reported new members had joined the society during the summer as follows: Mrs. Nola Smith, Mrs. J. P. Hicks, Mrs. H. M. McIntosh, Mrs. Leo Maxwell, Mrs. Dick Parrish, Mrs. Ralph W. Todd, Mrs. Charles Moran, Mrs. C. C. Cruthird, Mrs. G. M. Elarbee, Mrs. Roy Segree and Mrs. W. H. May.

Mrs. C. C. Cruthird was elected auditor and plans were made for a picnic supper on the church lawn, honoring Sunday school teachers and officers, with special recognition to Mrs. Frank Rozelle who recently completed 10 years of teaching in the nursery department. Mrs. Clyde Canipe, Mrs. H. M. McIntosh and Mrs. Leo Maxwell were appointed on the committee in charge of supper arrangements.

Mrs. Arch Blakey volunteered to act as chairman of the committee in charge of raising funds to assist in the furnishing of the Student House in Tallahassee. Mrs. Emma Wheeler gave a report on the School of Missions which she recently attended in Lakeland as a local delegate.

It was announced that the Gertrude Shirley Circle will be responsible for placing floral decorations in the church through September. Mrs. Jack Phillips announced WSCS year books will be

ready for distribution at the next meeting.

Mrs. Phillips, program chairman, presented a program entitled, "Our Faith." Talks on the subject were given by Mrs. R. L. Brooks, "The Meaning of Faith"; Mrs. J. T. Boynton, "The God of Our Faith"; Mrs. R. J. Schroder, "Our Faith in Salvation"; Mrs. R. B. Simonson, "The Christian Way," and Mrs. L. W. Armstrong, "What Methodist Stands For." Mrs. Holman was in charge of the devotionals. Ann Rita Burns, soloist, sang "Under His Wings," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. William McClenithan.

AUTO LAW TIGHT

TALLAHASSEE—If you refuse to surrender your driver's license under the automobile financial responsibility law, you have to pay the expenses of the peace officer sent to get it from you. Attorney General Richard Ervin has ruled that the expenses of such an officer are "collectible as any other account."

The financial responsibility law requires a driver at fault in an automobile accident, to pay damages and show ability to meet expenses of any future accidents. Failure to do so means loss of the driver's license for a year.

If the driver does not give up his license voluntarily, a peace officer may be sent to get it from him.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Parrish and daughter, Sylvia, were visitors in Orlando over the weekend.

43 Women Seeking Jobs Thru State Employment Office

Women seeking jobs through the Belle Glade office of the Florida State Employment Service were 43 of the total 238 at the beginning of September. A. M. Larrimore, manager of the office reported in discussing the composition of the labor supply.

Composing 14 per cent of all those seeking work in the area served by the Belle Glade office, the percentage of women applicants number less than at the same time a year ago.

Larrimore said 16 women made new applications for work during August compared to 19 August last year.

Total applications for jobs on hand at the beginning of September were less than the 342 last year. The decrease is attributed to the virtual end of the Servicemen's Readjustment Allowance which ended for most veterans as of July 25 of this year.

Job opportunities at the beginning of the month show an increase from last month due mainly to emergency repair work necessitated by the recent hurricane. Job openings not resulting from the hurricane show a demand for grocery sales clerks, experienced bookkeepers, dragline operators,

and commission salespersons.

Of the 22 non agricultural placements made by the local office during August, 6 were women, while 6 were veterans.

Canal Point is serviced by the State Employment Service on alternate Tuesdays when a representative is in the City Hall in Pahokee from 9:30 A. M. to 12:00 noon.

Seaweed Extraction Plant Is Planned

APALACHICOLA — A \$75,000 plant at East Point, across the bay from this city, will be constructed by Florida Agar and Products, Inc., Arthur L. Tucker, Jr., president and manager of the company, has announced.

The corporation, newly formed, will extract agar from seaweed together with other chemicals yielded from marine grasses, Tucker said, and will employ 15 persons. Agar is a chemical valuable to the medical and food industries and it has more than a thousand daily uses, Tucker said.

He added that the seaweed in the shallow bays along the Gulf Coast of the state is productive of a particularly high grade of agar.

Tucker said the company was indebted to Dr. H. Williams, of Florida State University, to Robert M. Ingle, assistant director, oyster cultivation division, State Board of Conservation and the Apalachicola Chamber of Commerce.



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Dedication Of New Field Postponed

Dedication of the new county airport at the end of Bacon Point Road south of Pahokee has been postponed for several weeks. It was announced by County Commissioner Paul Rardin.

Postponement was thought advisable by the county board after a survey of airplane damage in South Florida following the recent hurricane. Hundreds of planes, which were supposed to take part in the dedication, were damaged or completely ruined by the storm.

The new airfield came through the storm in excellent shape. It is high and dry and the runways suffered no ill effect from the big blow.

It is possible that the county board, at its next regular meeting on Monday of next week, will set a new date for the dedication. Extensive plans had been made for the air show which had been scheduled for Sept. 11.

Bankers Learn Of State Forest Prospects

ORLANDO—Florida's bankers, who recently spent two days at Gainesville studying what the state has at stake in its forests, have not completed their agricultural education. In fact, says Chairman Carlisle Rogers of the agricultural committee of Florida Bankers Association, they have just begun to learn.

Three joint meetings of bankers and professional agriculturists have been scheduled for this month. The first will be held at Greenwood, Sept. 7; the second at Gainesville, Sept. 8 and the third at Range Cattle Station at Ona, Sept. 14.

On the Ona trip, the bankers will hear Dr. W. G. Kirk, vice-director in of the range cattle station, and his staff reports on feeding of citrus to beef cattle, cross-breeding of Shorthorn and Brahman cattle and pasture grazing trails.

Members of the agricultural committee of the bankers association include N. Ray Carroll, of Kissimmee. The conference is designed particularly for bankers from many of the southern and central counties, including Collier county.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF LANDOWNERS OF EAST BEACH DRAINAGE DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to call of the Board of Supervisors of East Beach Drainage District, the annual meeting of the landowners of East Beach Drainage District for the year 1949 will be held at the office of said District in the Post Office Building at Canal Point, Palm Beach County, Florida, on Wednesday, September 28, 1949 at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purposes of:

1. Electing a Supervisor for Division 1.
2. Receiving annual reports and taking such action with respect thereto as the landowners may determine.
3. Transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF EAST BEACH DRAINAGE DISTRICT

By William Bloom, President.
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Resolution Praises Fla. Power & Light

A resolution commending and complimenting the Florida Power and Light Company, its manager, P. P. deMoya, and all company personnel for the splendid work of restoring service in the Everglades area, was unanimously adopted by the Pahokee Rotary club at the regular meeting Thursday. Many kind expressions were made anent the power company and the speedy work they did in restoring service, before the unanimous vote was taken.

COUNCILMEN NAMED

CLEWISTON — R. J. McLeod and R. E. Waldron won four-year City Commission terms, and Leon Bemby was chosen for a two-year tenure in a run-off election here Tuesday. McLeod polled 465 votes, Waldron 455, and Bemby 426.

Losers in the six-man race were G. E. Etherton with 222; Claude Giddens, 180; and Carl Berner, 166. The candidates were survivors of the Aug. 23 primary in which eight were entered.

PTA SPECIAL MEET

The Canal Point Parent-Teacher Association will conduct a Special meeting of the new school year in the school auditorium Monday, Sept. 12, at 8 p. m., with Mrs. Boyd Vorhees, the new president, in charge of the business session.

Joyce Peacock and Mary Mullis returned Monday to Jacksonville, where they are employed by the Bell Telephone Company, after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Peacock and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Mullis, in Pahokee.

Many Visitors At Beautiful Hialeah

MIAMI—Business may be off at other race tracks this summer, but not at Hialeah, which is enjoying record crowds of sightseers. A total of 495,511 visited the show place plant—kept open the year round as a public park—during the six months since the close of racing.

Attendance during June and July was almost double that of a year ago. An estimated 73,111 came to see the famed flamingos and landscaping during June, and 128,350 during July. Attendance is based on the number of post cards mailed from the track by visitors, and for June 1948 the amount was 47,100 with a July total of 67,700.

Many of Miami's summer visitors are from the South, and because of the large crowds of Latin Americans daily at Hialeah, a special Spanish edition of the track's souvenir information folder has been issued this summer. The folder has been enthusiastically received by the Latin Americans.

JR. COLLEGE ENROLLMENT

An excellent opening registration day with indications enrollment will, top last year's by at least 15 percent, was reported last night by Dr. John I. Leonard, president, for the Palm Beach Junior College.

Although under the new registration system inaugurated this year, only 90 freshman enrollments were slated for Tuesday, 102 were made he said, and first year registration will continue today.

Harry Waldschlager is able to be up and out among his friends after a severe illness of several days.

Personal

The Philathea Class of the First Baptist Sunday school will conduct a business and social meeting at the church this Friday evening at 7:30, with Mrs. W. H. Rogers and Mrs. Elizabeth Caraway to serve as co-hostesses.

The executive board of the Pahokee Woman's Club will meet at the home of the president, Mrs. W. H. Jones, Jr., this Friday afternoon at 2:30. All board members are urged to be present.

James Latham will leave this weekend to report for duty at the Naval Air Station in Seattle, Wash., after spending a month's leave from the Navy with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Latham, in Canal Point.

Curtis Ray Mock, H. N., U. S. Navy, is spending thirty days in Pahokee with relatives. He is stationed at Oceanside, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Pope (Connie Marshall) of Canal Point announce the birth of a daughter, Marsha Lynette, at the Pahokee Hospital Monday, Sept. 5.

Hoke Shirley, Jr., has made arrangements to enroll at Stetson University, Deland, for the fall semester which starts in two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Keen and son, Richard, visited his mother, Mrs. U. S. Keen, in Abbeville, Ga., on Labor Day.

Increasing value of canned turnip and mustard greens to growers and packers, American Can Company points out, is reflected in industry figures for 1948 showing a pack of more than 1½ million cases of these products.

Housing Booms In Florida, Report Shows

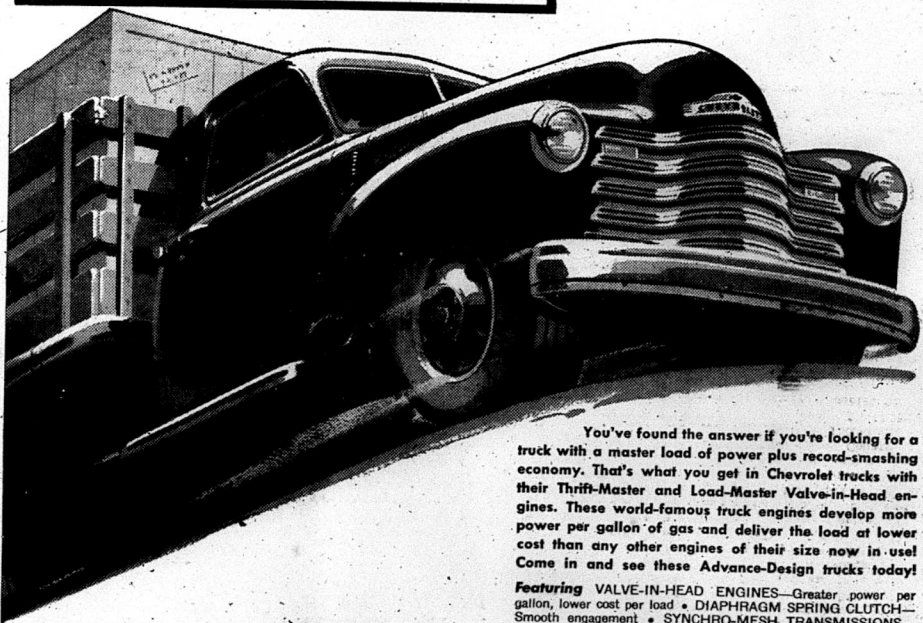
TALLAHASSEE — August 30, 1949—Florida is rapidly increasing its housing facilities, Hotel Commissioner James T. Landon revealed today. He said that July building permits, issued by the Hotel Commission, would add 5,722 to the number of rooms available for rent in the state. The seating capacity of Florida's restaurants will be increased by 1,190. Landon stated that anyone building or altering a hotel, apartment house, rooming house, tourist court or restaurant must have plans approved by Hotel Commission Supervising Architects, and obtain a permit from the Department.

Total valuation involved in the July report was \$8,915,547.87; an increase of \$2,395,677.87 over the previous month. Pinellas County led the entire state with a total of \$3,078,500.00; Dade County was second with \$1,922,650.00 and Duval third with \$1,072,265.00. Orange County accounted for \$1,001,000.00.

Broken down as to classification, apartment house construction was far in the lead with a total of \$7,524,700.000; hotels were next with \$700,000.00; rooming houses and tourist courts \$428,197.00; restaurants \$282,650.00.

Commissioner Landon pointed out that the great month by month growth of Florida's food and lodging industry placed more and more work on his Department, and brought added revenue into the State Treasury, while at the same time, the Hotel Commission was required to operate with 38 percent less money than it was using this time last year.

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